

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A product management system comprising:
a resonance circuit; and
a reader/writer for at least one of reading information stored in a semiconductor device and writing information in the semiconductor device,

wherein the resonance circuit comprises an antenna coil and a capacitor,
wherein a packing material for packing a product is provided with the resonance circuit,

~~a package for packing a product, wherein the product is provided with [[a]] the semiconductor device, and a reader/writer for reading and writing information stored in the semiconductor device,~~

~~wherein the semiconductor device comprises a thin film integrated circuit comprising a thin film transistor, and an antenna;~~

~~wherein the package is provided with a resonance circuit comprising an antenna coil and a capacitor; and~~

~~wherein the resonance circuit can communicate with the reader/writer and the semiconductor device.~~

2. (Original) The product management system according to Claim 1, wherein a communication method between the reader/writer and the resonance circuit is identical to a communication method between the resonance circuit and the semiconductor device.

3. (Original) The product management system according to Claim 2, wherein the communication method is an electromagnetic induction method.

4. (Original) The product management system according to Claim 1, wherein a communication method between the reader/writer and the resonance circuit is different from a communication method between the resonance circuit and the semiconductor device.

5. (Original) The product management system according to Claim 4, wherein the communication method between the reader/writer and the resonance circuit is any one of an electromagnetic induction method and a microwave method.

6. (Currently Amended) A product management system comprising:
a resonance circuit; and
a reader/writer for at least one of reading information stored in a semiconductor device and writing information in the semiconductor device,

wherein the resonance circuit comprises an antenna coil and a capacitor,
wherein a packing material for packing a product is provided with the resonance circuit,

~~a package for packing a product, wherein the product is provided with [[a]] the semiconductor device, and a reader/writer for reading and writing information stored in the semiconductor device,~~

~~wherein the semiconductor device comprises a thin film integrated circuit comprising a thin film transistor, and an antenna;~~

~~wherein the package is provided with a resonance circuit comprising an antenna coil and a capacitor;~~

~~wherein the resonance circuit can communicate with the reader/writer and the semiconductor device; and~~

wherein a communication range between the reader/writer and the resonance circuit is longer than a communication range between the resonance circuit and the semiconductor device.

7. (Original) The product management system according to Claim 6, wherein a communication method between the reader/writer and the resonance circuit is any one of an electromagnetic induction method and a microwave method.

8. (Original) The product management system according to any one of Claims 1 and 6, wherein the semiconductor device is selected from the group of an ID tag, an ID chip, an ID label, an ID seal and an ID sticker.

9. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

sending at least one of a first signal comprising first information and a first electric power from a reader/writer to a resonance circuit,

sending at least one of a second signal comprising the first information and a second electric power from the resonance circuit to a semiconductor device in response to a receipt of said at least one of the first signal and the first electric power, wherein said semiconductor device comprises a thin film integrated circuit comprising a thin film transistor, and an antenna;

sending a third signal comprising second information from said semiconductor device to the resonance circuit in response to a receipt of said at least one of the second signal and the second electric power by the semiconductor device

sending a fourth signal comprising said second information from the resonance circuit to the reader/writer,

wherein the semiconductor device is attached to a product, the product is contained in a package packing material, the resonance circuit is attached to the

package packing material and the reader/writer is disposed outside of the package packing material.

10. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

sending at least one of a first signal comprising first information and a first electric power from a reader/writer to a first resonance circuit,

sending at least one of a second signal comprising the first information and a second electric power from the first resonance circuit to a second resonance circuit in response to a receipt of said at least one of the first signal and the first electric power,

sending at least one of a third signal comprising the first information and a third electric power from the second resonance circuit to a semiconductor device in response to a receipt of said at least one of the second signal and the second electric power, wherein said semiconductor device comprises a thin film integrated circuit comprising a thin film transistor, and an antenna;

sending a fourth signal comprising second information from said semiconductor device to the second resonance circuit in response to a receipt of said at least one of the third signal and the third electric power by the semiconductor device,

sending a fifth signal comprising said second information from the second resonance circuit to the first resonance circuit,

sending a sixth signal comprising said second information from the first resonance circuit to the reader/writer,

wherein the semiconductor device is attached to a product, the product is contained in a second package packing material, the second resonance circuit is attached to the second package packing material, the second package packing material is contained in a first package packing material, the first resonance circuit is attached to the first package packing material, and the reader/writer is disposed outside of the first package packing material.

11. (Original) The method according to any one of Claims 9 and 10, wherein the semiconductor device is selected from the group of an ID tag, an ID chip, an ID label, an ID seal and an ID sticker.

12. (Currently Amended) The method according to Claim 10, wherein the first package packing material is selected from the group of a suitcase, a corrugated fiberboard, a container and a transporting vehicle.

13. (New) A product management system comprising:
a semiconductor device;
a resonance circuit; and
a reader/writer for at least one of reading information stored in the semiconductor device and writing information in the semiconductor device
wherein the resonance circuit comprises an antenna coil and a capacitor,
wherein a packing material for packing a product is provided with the resonance circuit,
wherein the product is provided with the semiconductor device,
wherein the semiconductor device comprises a thin film integrated circuit comprising a thin film transistor, and an antenna, and
wherein the resonance circuit can communicate with the reader/writer and the semiconductor device.

14. (New) The product management system according to Claim 13, wherein a communication method between the reader/writer and the resonance circuit is identical to a communication method between the resonance circuit and the semiconductor device.

15. (New) The product management system according to Claim 14, wherein the communication method is an electromagnetic induction method.

16. (New) The product management system according to Claim 13, wherein a communication method between the reader/writer and the resonance circuit is different from a communication method between the resonance circuit and the semiconductor device.

17. (New) The product management system according to Claim 16, wherein the communication method between the reader/writer and the resonance circuit is any one of an electromagnetic induction method and a microwave method.